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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
Sun rises, 4:40 Length of day,
Sun sets, 7:05 14 hours, 16 minutes.
Moon rises at 4:41 a. m.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army.
Report of observations taken at New Berne:

	May 23, 1884—6 P. M.		
Max.	Min.	Rain	
Temp.	Temp.	Fall.	
New Berne...	93	61	00

J. W. WEBB, Observer.

A large force is at work on Hancock street putting in new ties and scattering the rails along the line of the railroad track.

Capt. Thos. Gates received a check on Shackleford's Banks on Thursday for one hundred millions of dollars—to be paid in sand.

Gilbert Moye, a colored man employed at Nelson's shingle yard, had his hand badly mashed under a piece of timber yesterday.

Mr. J. K. Willis shipped yesterday morning a marble head-stone to Warsaw. We are glad to see this worthy workman extending his business.

Stone crabs were plentiful in the market yesterday. One of our prominent citizens purchased a lot and then inquired what part of them were good to eat.

We learn from the *Plant* that Dr. Barker has been in Durham for several days and examined a great many heads. Wonder if the Doctor will tell how many of these were sheep heads.

Mr. J. A. Meadows is erecting a large and commodious warehouse on the wharf near his mill. The frame-work is already up and the workmen are going ahead with the building.

The *Shenandoah* took out about one hundred barrels of Irish potatoes and one hundred boxes of beans on yesterday. Potatoes sold on the wharf at \$2.50 per barrel and beans at \$1.50 per box.

We learn from Mr. A. F. Farnell, of Onslow, who arrived yesterday evening, that Dr. Lesene died on Wednesday night. He had not heard anything of the preliminary trial of Mr. Huggins, who fired the fatal shot.

Hand Cut Off.
Felix Pittman, a little son of Mr. F. M. Pittman, at Bell's Ferry, had the misfortune to get his right hand cut off in a planing machine on Wednesday last. Dr. Wood attended and dressed his wound, and at last report he was doing well.

Tobacco Rebate.
Some thirty registered letters were received at our postoffice Thursday night addressed to dealers and manufacturers of tobacco containing sums of from five to two hundred dollars, being the amount of rebate allowed by the last Congress incidental to the reduction of the tax on tobacco and cigars.

The work of apportioning and distributing this money throughout the country must be very great.

A Good Sermon.
A few days ago a lad of about eighteen years accosted one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens at the market dock and said: "Mr. — what church do you belong to?"

"I don't belong to any."
"What! Don't you attend church?"
Yes, I have been attending the church for fifty years."
"And never joined?"
"No."
"Well sir, I think it is high time."

Commencement Exercises.

We are in receipt of a very handsome invitation card to attend the commencement exercises of Peace Institute on Monday, June 2nd, at 8 p. m., and the annual concert on Tuesday, June 3rd, 8 p. m. at Tucker Hall. The full graduates of the class of 1884 are Miss Eliza F. Graves, of Virginia, and Miss Effie E. Rouse of La Grange, N. C.

On Friday evening of commencement week the young men of Kinston will hold the grand annual ball at Loftin's opera house. Messrs. T. L. Williams, K. P. Whitehurst and L. Einstein are the managers. Thanks for invitation.

Personal.

Mr. Brady, Mr. Coakley, Mr. Brown, and the two young ladies of the canning establishment, left for their homes in Baltimore, on the *Shenandoah* yesterday.

Thos. J. Latham, of Norfolk, Va., left on the *Shenandoah* yesterday after a flying visit to this city.

Mrs. Sallie Dillahunt, of Jones county, is in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Benjamin Brown, of Jones, with Miss Hackney, of Wilson, were in the city yesterday. Mr. Brown brought down the last of his section and says he doesn't think there are any more left in it.

Ten Acres Per Day.

Mr. Jos. L. Rhem is using two of Flynn's patent cotton and rice cultivators which are sold in this market by Geo. Allen & Co. and he claims that each one is doing excellent work at the rate of ten acres per day, one on cotton and the other on rice. This machine cultivates both sides of the row at once and is drawn by one mule. Farmers cannot afford now to use turning plows in cultivation of any crop, as the cultivation can be done by the improved implements at one-half price, and shallow culture gives better crops.

Graded School Exhibition.

Nothing ever appears at our theatre which attracts a more interesting audience than our graded school exhibitions always do. That of last night was by no means an exception to the rule; the crowded house, the joyous expressions of hopeful parents, each expecting an unusual pleasure in the piece in which their little fellows would appear, was in itself a treat to a disinterested observer if there was such an one present. The parts taken by the children were all well rendered and showed the result of careful training by the teachers.

The exhibition was a success, and we think that about expresses the matter as well as we could in a much longer notice. The school is approaching the close of the second year and we think has steadily grown in popularity with the patrons, as it undoubtedly has in usefulness to the rising generation.

A Suggestion.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—It has been suggested that as the cotton factory will never be used except for the storage of the machinery now in it, that the stockholders could not do a wiser nor more humane action than to donate the building to the Athletic Club. The writer is satisfied that the members of the Club will not hesitate to accept the gift. Will the stockholders lose this opportunity of doing the public a great good?

What Others Think of Us.

A special reporter of the *Smithfield Herald* who visited our city with the Baptist Sunday School excursion some days ago, says of New Berne:

"The citizens are clever, hospitable and industrious and perhaps no place in the State can boast of more pretty ladies than New Berne. One sees here quite a number of industries giving employment to a large number of hands. Prominent among these are the fisheries where thousands of fish are caught and shipped daily, giving good profits to all concerned. Quantities of oysters are also taken near here.

We also visited the saw mills and shingle machines where quantities of beautiful cypress shingles are cut and shipped to the northern markets. While at the wharf we went on board the steamer *Goldsboro* and were shown over it by the gentlemanly Captain, R. T. Jones. We have never had the pleasure of meeting a more courteous and gentlemanly man than Captain Jones. May he meet with no adverse winds in his travels and at last sail upon the "Old Ship of Zion."

On our way from the wharf to the cemetery we passed the Episcopal and Baptist churches, which are both elegant and commodious buildings. The evergreens in the Episcopal church yard are the most beautifully and tastefully arranged we have ever seen anywhere. There are also some very pretty ones at the Baptist church.

The cemetery which is in an elevated part of town is one of the finest in the State. Here are buried some of the greatest men that North Carolina has ever produced. Near the east gate is the tomb of Judge Gaston whose unsullied character and inestimable worth is well known to all. "Peace to his ashes."

After leaving the cemetery we called upon Rev. Dr. Burkhead, former pastor of Smithfield Circuit, who has for the last three years had charge of the Methodist church at New Berne; he had many inquiries to make in regard to his old friends in and around old Smithfield. From him we learned that the Methodist church was to be remodelled and enlarged at a cost of four or five thousand dollars; when completed it will be one of the largest and finest in the eastern part of the State. He also informed us that a new building for the Graded School, to cost eight thousand, was to be erected. The Graded School now has 500 pupils. [18]—Ed. JOURNAL.

Just before leaving an alarm of fire was given and in a moment everything was excitement, the fire company who justly has the reputation of being the best in the State, was soon upon the scene and in less than twenty minutes from the time the alarm was given the fire was stopped and everything was quiet again.

Ice Cream and Soddy Cakes.
M. Shepard will be at your door this evening with his delicious Ice Cream and Soddy Cakes. Try them and you will be pleased. ma23 dim

Ice Cream and Fruit Ices, for sale daily by Mrs. Dillingham, at Potter's old stand, Pollok street, near Postoffice, Newbern, N. C. ma23c.

Call at Sarah Oxley's Ice Cream parlors, on Broad street, for a pure article of Ice Cream. ma23f.

MOTHERS.

If you are falling broken, worn out and nervous, use Well's Health Renewer. 27.

STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

Washington Gazette: A young man, a student at the school of Rev. N. C. Hughes, at Chocowinity, named Milton Davenport, aged about 16 years, and a resident of Tyrrell county, died in Chocowinity on Monday, suddenly, of congestive chill. His remains were brought to town on Monday night and shipped to the home of his parents.

Roanoke News: The cotton is not growing very rapidly owing to the dry weather and cool nights. We learn that some of the wheat in this vicinity is heading out rather low. The case of Potter against the W. & W. railroad for damages for an arm broken while crossing the shed last year, was tried at Halifax Tuesday. The jury returned a verdict for \$200, and costs. Judge Avery set aside the verdict.

Durham Recorder: We learn that our esteemed friend, Mr. W. Duke, who has never been known to do an unwise act, has declined the nomination tendered him by the Republican convention for State Treasurer. It is generally regretted by the Republicans while the Democrats here are rejoicing, for they would have hated to vote against such a good and popular citizen. Our friend Mr. Duke can see too far in the future to be used as a tool by Mott, Cooper & Co.

Asheville Advance: The first strawberries were offered for sale yesterday on the streets at fifteen cents per quart. While Loren Luther, a nine year old son of D. M. and Matilda Luther, living in the southern end of the city, was attempting to kindle a fire Monday morning with a can of coal oil, an explosion took place, which resulted in his being burned so badly that he died at 10:30 o'clock in the evening of the same day. He lived about fourteen hours after the accident.

Elizabeth City Economist: Wilson Hollowell, of Bayside, brought us a sample of Ruffin wheat on Saturday which measured in the stalk five feet. We were sorry to hear that rust is troublesome in some, but has not attacked Mr. Hollowell's. We understand that a dead white infant child concealed in an east-powder box just under the ground, was found one day last week in Pritchard's old field in the suburbs of the town. It was probably a homicide and should be visited with justice as much as any other felony.

Durham Reporter: The wheat crop on the road from Durham to Roxboro is excellent. Farmers only want a season to plant a full crop of tobacco. Plants are plentiful. We learn from Mr. R. H. Atwater in Chatham county the farmers have had fine seasons, and planted the larger portion of their tobacco crop which is growing off finely. We are reliably informed that Judge Fowle's name will go before the Democratic convention of this district for Congress, also that Maj. John W. Graham has congressional aspirations.

Raleigh Farmer and Mechanic: At Jones' mill pond, 12 miles South of Raleigh, a little son of J. H. Partin fell out of a boat and was drowned. This, with the death of Dr. Robey's little son, makes a sad beginning of the spring picnics. One day last week a procession of picnickers went dancing and singing along the street, with a brass band tooting at their head. Turning a corner they met a long funeral procession moving in slow solemnity. The merry ones hushed until the sad ones passed, and then the clamor broke out afresh. It was a curious illustration of the intermingling of life's phases.

Fayetteville Sun: Mr. Wm. Overby brought us some wheat for inspection which measured from root to tip of beard, five feet and one inch, who can beat it? We were shown by Mr. Peterson, of this town, some crystals of sugar made in Duplin county on Rockfish, by Mr. Williams. These crystals were taken from the bottom of a barrel where they had formed, from the syrup which filled the barrel. These constitute a right good quality of rock candy, and on being pulverized, produce a sugar as white as snow. Mr. Peterson says the farmers through Duplin are well pleased with their success in growing cane and making sugar, and that the area of land set apart for that purpose is being considerably broadened. There are seventy persons living in Fayetteville whose ages average seventy years. Fayetteville has a population of five thousand. What town in North Carolina can produce a greater

proportionate number of long lived citizens? There is also a colored woman in our midst whose existence covers one hundred and three years.

Short Timber.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—Col. H. B. Short, of "Lake Waccamaw," Columbus county, having been mentioned by a large number of the papers of the State in connection with the nomination for Lieut. Governor, permit me, through the columns of your paper, to urge the nomination of this distinguished gentleman, because he possesses not only the qualifications necessary to fill that position, but in point of availability he is excelled by none. In selecting our candidates to fill the several offices, on the State ticket, it is very important to select those who combine not only character and ability, but also availability and influence. Col. Short is known all over North Carolina as a "true and tried" Democrat. In 1876 he was elected to the State Senate from the district in which he now resides, by an unprecedented majority and was one of the most prominent and useful members of that body, always on the alert to watch the interests of his people, advance the welfare of North Carolina, and hold in check the efforts of the Radical party to degrade and bring disgrace upon our good old State. He is very popular with all classes of our people, possessing that rare and happy faculty to a remarkable extent, of making himself agreeable to any one with whom he comes in contact. He is a splendid canvasser and if nominated no one on the State ticket will make more friends, or a better impression than Col. Short. Being possessed of ample means and generous in the advancement of the cause of Democracy, he will make a thorough canvass of the State and contribute liberally to the campaign fund. Col. Short is the favorite of the Cape Fear, Pamlico and Albemarle sections. With a strong arm at the head of our ticket, and Col. Short for the second place "one dollar York," with his mule and mongrel crowd, will "get left," and North Carolina will be saved the disgrace and humiliation of falling into the hands of the worst set of political comorants that ever disgraced a State.

PAMLICO.

Railroad Thunder.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—In answer to the query in your issue of yesterday, "Can a State Senator be a Director of the A. & N. C. Railroad Company," we reply, it is admitted that no member of the General Assembly can be a Director of the A. & N. C. Railroad Company, and we believe a case in point arose at the last meeting, wherein a Legislator was appointed Director, but first resigned his position as Legislator; therefore, any aspirant for directorial honors, if he belongs either to the Senate or the House, will have to hand in his resignation before assuming charge of the road horse. It is a wise provision of the Constitution which prevents any accumulation of offices in one person. The By-Laws of the Railroad Company seem to have very much the same object in view. Contracts, Sec. 3, say, "Neither the President or any Director or any other officer or employee of this company shall, during the term of his office, be interested either directly or indirectly in any matter of contract with the company, whereby he or they, shall or may derive any pecuniary benefit, and any one so interested shall forfeit his office or place." It is very questionable therefore, whether a Director can be the Company's Attorney with a fixed annual salary or retainer. It is well, that all questions of doubtful interpretation should be brought forward and decided, for they always remain stumbling blocks until some final disposition be made of them. DEMOCRAT.

Wilson Taken In.

Last week a negro man put in an appearance in Wilson, and stated in the office of a law firm that he had \$4,500 deposited in the bank, that he was thinking of buying a farm and making Wilson county his home. Only a short time had elapsed when a farmer, who had been apprised of the darkey's financial standing and intentions, and who had come to town that day with his wife, came up and invited him to drive out to his farm and look at it. Africa was willing. The farmer's wife was told that she must walk home, as he was on the eve of a most advantageous trade. The two men then rode out to see the farm. The negro was shown over it, and he unhesitatingly expressed his satisfaction. The price was named, but the darkey was not just yet willing to make it a firm trade. He wanted to think about it.

When they returned to town the negro capitalist was pounced upon by a horse trader. He must see how well his horses drove, and they dashed up and down the principal streets. Finally the colored individual remarked, "Some horses travel well in town, but can't go much of a distance." This was enough for the equine vender. A drive of a half-dozen miles in the country was had to prove the horses everything they were represented to be. To prove that the trader was a clever man, the negro was supplied with cigars as fast as he could smoke them. When the ride was over perfect satisfaction with the horses and their movements was expressed, but a day or two would be necessary to determine how many should be purchased. The farmer and the lively man were elated. They would surely "finger" the \$4,500!

The next day the negro wanted a bill of exchange on Raleigh cashed. In this he failed. The forger was too clumsily done. Saturday the penitentiary authorities came down and took their escaped convict into custody.

It is needless to say that a hint of these facts to the farmer and horse trader will bring on a fight.—*Turbo*

THE CONFEDERATE MONUMENT.

The ladies of the New Berne Memorial Association earnestly desire to complete the monument already begun to the memory of our honored Confederate soldiers. They will need for this purpose \$450 and they feel assured that it will only be necessary to let this fact be known, to meet with a generous and ready response from every citizen of Craven county whose heart beats in sympathy with theirs in their work. Any contribution, however small, will be thankfully received and properly used. A box will be placed at the store of Mr. Alex. Miller, who is the authorized agent to receive any money for the purpose; or it may be given to any one of the officers of the Association whose names are here subscribed:

Mrs. E. B. DAVES, President.
L. C. VASS, Vice-President.
GEORGE ALLEN, Treasurer.
C. W. MCLEAN, Secretary.
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COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, May 23, 6 P. M.
COTTON—New York futures quiet; Spots firm. New Berne market quiet! Sales of 2 bales at 10 1/2.
Middling, 10 5/8; Low Middling, 10 1/8; Good Ordinary, 9 5/8.
NEW YORK SPOTS.
Middling, 11 5/8; Low Middling, 11 1/8; Good Ordinary, 10 5/8.
FUTURES.
May, 11.68
June, 11.68
July, 11.86
August, 11.97
CORN—Firm at 67a75c.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.
TAR—75c. to \$1.00.
SEED COTTON—\$2.50a3.50.
COTTON SEED—\$13.50 per ton.
BESWAX—25c. per lb.
HONEY—75c. per gallon.
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.
COUNTRY HAMS—13c. per lb.
LARD—13c. per lb.
FRESH PORT—7a8c. per pound.
EGGS—10c. per dozen.
PEANUTS—\$1.00a1.50 per bushel.
PODDER—80c. to \$1 per hundred.
ONIONS—\$3 per bbl.
FIELD PEAS—5c. a \$1.00 per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 9a11c.; green 5a6c.
TALLOW—6c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 75c. per pair.
MEAT—80c. per bushel.
POTATOES—Bahamas 40c.; yams 60c.
TURPINS—50a75c. per bush.
WOOL—12a17c. per pound.
WHOLESALE PRICES.
NEW MESS PORK—\$18.00; long clears 9a10c.; shoulders, dry salt, 8a8 1/2c.
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.
SALT—95c. per sack.
FLOUR—\$4.00a7.50 per barrel.

MARSHAL'S SALE.

By virtue of certain attachments duly issued from the United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, and by the order of the Judge, in certain suits wherein J. C. Gaston and others are debtors and Wm. Carter and others are creditors, and in both of which the Tugboat E. Henderson is defendant, and by virtue of the condemnation and order of the Court, I will, on

Tuesday, the 31st Day of June, 1884,

at TWELVE o'clock, M., at the place in the City of New Berne, County of Craven and State of North Carolina, where said vessel now lies, expose to sale for cash to the highest bidder the Tugboat E. Henderson, her tackle, apparel and furniture.

J. R. HILL, U. S. Marshal,
By TIMOTHY KEELER,
U. S. Dept. Marshal. ma31 dtl

STATE

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NEWBERN, N. C.

The Fourth Annual Session of this School will open on

MONDAY, 24 JUNE, 1884,

under experienced instructors.

Students can enter who are fifteen years old and have either a Teacher's Certificate or the qualifications requisite for a Third Grade Certificate.

The Session will continue about three months.

REV. L. C. VASS, } State Directors.
GEORGE ALLEN, }
Newbern, May 19th, 1884. 2d1w wit

For Sale,

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Newbern, N. C.
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Election of Teachers.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Trustees of New Berne Academy notice is hereby given that an election of Principal and Teachers for the session of 1884-5, of New Berne Graded School, will be held at the next regular meeting of the board, which takes place Friday, the 30th instant. Applicants will correspond with the undersigned.

W. M. WATSON,
Sec. & Treas.

Notice Extraordinary.

WIZARD OIL, \$1.00.
ST. JACOBS OIL, 50 cts.
Wood's Pain Relief, 25 cts.
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All for the relief of PAIN and cure of RHEUMATISM, etc.

It is said they are all good, and I know they are. For sale at W. L. PALMER'S Cigar, Tobacco, and Confectionery Store, next door to the corner of South Front and Middle sts. New Berne, N. C. U. S. A.

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